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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

In re: David John Hollick

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For: ELECTRICAL CONNECTOR WITH DEFORMABLE INSERT

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BOX PCT Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows. Attached hereto is a marked up version of the changes made to the specification including the claims by the current amendment. The marked up version of the changes is captioned "Version With Markings To Show Changes Made."

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, at line 2 (after the title), please insert the following text:

-- RELATED APPLICATIONS

The present application is a National Phase application of PCT/GB00/00747 filed on March 2, 2000 and published in English, which claims priority from Application GB 9905505.5 filed on March 11, 1999.

FIELD OF THE INVENTION--

On page 1, at line 4 (between the first and second paragraph (before "Electrical connectors")), please insert the following centered text:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--

On page 1, at line 19 (before "There has now been devised"), please insert the following centered text:

--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--

On page 3, at line 14 (before "The invention will now"), please insert the following centered text:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--